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SYSTEM, METHOD AND SOFTWARE PRODUCT  
FOR ORDERING MERCHANDISE OVER A  
COMMUNICATION NETWORK FROM A  
PLURALITY OF DIFFERENT MERCHANDISE  
PROVIDERS HAVING VARIOUS BUSINESS  
RELATIONSHIPS

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Enclosed are:

1.  Specification      6.  Letter Under Rule 53  
 2.  7 Sheet(s) of drawing(s)      7.  Certified copy of a priority  
 3.  Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97.      8.  Associate Power of Attorney  
 4. Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney:  
 4a.  New (Unsigned)      9.  Incorporation by Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)  
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10.  If a 111A application prior to examination of the above-identified application, amend the specification at Page 1, after the title, by inserting the following:

## --CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

Reference is made to and priority claimed from U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. , filed , entitled .

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11.  Continuation       Divisional       Continuation-in-part (CIP)      of prior application No. ,  
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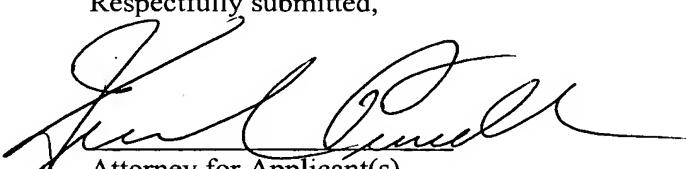
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**LETTER UNDER RULE 53**

Pursuant to Rule 53, the above-identified application, enclosed herewith (including specification and claims), is being filed without a signed declaration or assignment in the names of the inventors, Kenneth A. Parulski, Lou Chauvin, Howard E. Bussey, Timothy G. Thompson, John A. Foster, Pamela J. Gotham. The declaration and assignment will be filed later.

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